

COMMENDED FOR VALOR AT VERDUN

Lucien Patton Mentioned For Conspicuous Bravery By His Commanding Officer

Another one of Madison's Own has made a name for himself in the world war. Lucien Patton, born and raised in this city, but lately of Louisville, has been cited for conspicuous bravery during the last days of the fighting near the Somedene section at Verdun. He attended the Second Officers' Training camp at Fort Harrison where he won an officers commission, and at the time an armistice was signed, held the rank of First Lieutenant.

Lieut. Patton at the time war was declared was holding down a responsible position in Pittsburg, and heeded the call of his country for men and after winning his commission was assigned to the 1st "Wildcat" division and sailed overseas in July, 1918, and was sent to the front in September. The division is still in France.

Major Gen. Charles A. Bailey, commanding the 81st division, in his report of operations says:

"The commanding general desires to express his appreciation of the conduct of the officers and men of the division during the operations of the 9th, 10th and 11th of November last, in the Sommedene sector at Verdun, during the advance of the First Army, of which it formed a part."

The following named officer is particularly commended for gallant and meritorious conduct.

First Lieut. Robert L. Patton; for conspicuous bravery and courage in handling his platoon during an attack on Hermeville on the morning of November 11, 1918, in the face of the heavy artillery bombardment and machine gun fire, which he encountered from the moment the attack was launched, he led his platoon forward with splendid courage and boldness at a rapid rate. He showed remarkable ability in making quick decision and coolness presented a great number of casualties in the company. He reached the point well forward in the advance when hostilities ceased.

Lieut. Patton was born in Lexington. He was graduated from Princeton in 1912 and was in business in Pittsburg when America entered the war. He attended the Second Officers' camp at Ft. Oglethorpe, won his commission and was assigned to the 81st, the Wildcat Division. He went overseas in July, 1918, and was sent to the front in September. The division is still in France.

Lieut. Patton's father is auditor of receipts for the L. & N.

TONIGHT AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

At the mid-week service at the Christian church tonight a mission program will be put on, at which the various mission fields will be represented by young ladies in costume. This will be supplemented by special music and a vood program.

"Rookwood" is the magic password to the Lodge of Better Coffee. Join today by consulting Brother D. McKinney, the grand rajah of the Rookwood Brotherhood. 116tf

FOR SALE—A one stallion, Rex, bred, 6-years-old; will sell cheap. W. E. Olds, Union City, phone 423—R. 116

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my son, Win Bowman. Accept no orders or checks as coming from me. H. K. Bowman. 113 6

FOR SALE—S. C. Brown Leghorn, \$1 for setting of 15 or \$5 per hundred. W. T. Olds, Union City, Ky. 116 2w p

FOR SALE—A small gasoline engine about 2 horse power; can be had at a bargain if taken at once. Apply Daily Register office. 116

Fruit and Shade Trees, Strawberry Plants, Climbing Vines, Seed Potatoes, Raspberries, Grape Vines, Perennials, Hedging, Roses, etc. Every thing for Orchard, Lawn and Garden FREE illustrated catalog. No Agents. H. F. HILLENMEYER & SONS, 75 2m Lexington, Ky.

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Federation Organized By Prohibitionists

(By Associated Press)

Louisville, April 16—It was announced here today that a state-wide prohibition federation will be formed with Judge Henry Barker, of Louisville, president. It is designed to secure a large majority for the state-wide prohibition amendment at the election this fall, no matter what may be the status of the national prohibition law which is being attacked by the liquor interests.

The federation is composed of the Kentucky Anti-Saloon League, the W. C. T. U., Kentucky Democratic Forward League, the dry element of the republican party, Catholic Prohibition League, and the Churchmen's Federation of Louisville.

Normal School Notes (W. B. Tropser)

Prof. G. D. Smith, who has been visiting "Maiden Ridge" over week end, brings us the good news that the prospects for fruit this year look better than in previous years.

The literary societies met in their regular society rooms Monday evening and under the supervision of their faculty advisers. The students hope to gain some talents worth while along literary lines. The Periclesian Literary Society, instead of having its regular program Monday evening, had a social which was enjoyed by all present.

The Eastern nine was again deprived of its regular practice hour on account of weather conditions. But the boys will work hard to make up for lost time when opportunity presents. They are planning to show the Stanford team a merry time here next Monday afternoon.

President T. J. Coates spoke to the Eastern boys in the Y. M. C. A. room of Memorial Hall last evening on the things which concern young men in their every day life. You know there are certain people you always love to have around, so President Coates is one of that nature.

Dr. Myers is kept quite busy this week meeting the regular Eastern chorus and the cast of characters of "Polished Pebbles" practically every evening.

Miss Lelia Stroker and Miss Lucretia Adams have returned to the campus for the fourth term.

LIBERTY CALENDAR NEXT ON PROGRAM

A bill will be presented at the next session of congress for the establishment of the "Liberty Calendar," providing that each month shall have exactly four weeks. Headquarters of the organization pushing the scheme are in Minneapolis but an effort to obtain state organizations everywhere will be made. C. F. Dunn, of the Lexington Board of Commerce, has been made chairman for Kentucky with James Maret, the Boone Way Man of Winchester as assistant manager.

MISS A. B. WARD NAMED MANAGING DIRECTOR.

The Phoenix Amusement Company was incorporated in Lexington this week with \$200,000 capital stock, fully paid in, and will take over the old company operated under that name and will also control motion picture theatres in Lexington, Paris, Winchester and Richmond. J. B. Elliott, has been elected President, with Garret Wilson, Vice Pres., Barney Treacy, Sec-Treas., and Miss Anna Bell Ward as Managing Director of the company. The directors in the company are J. H. Elliott, G. A. Wilson, H. S. Bower, L. A. Michler, Fred Stiltz, H. A. Stiltz and Miss A. B. Ward. A two per cent dividend will be paid monthly beginning May 5th.

Miss Ward as managing director will retain her office in this city and will personally look after the Alhambra and Opera House, besides taking care of the many other theatres under her jurisdiction.

STOREROOM 20x50 feet is being built at corner of Second and Water streets, right in heart of city; will be fitted up to suit tenant who will lease; will also have two office suites upstairs which will also be arranged as to rooms, etc., to suit tenants who will lease; water and heat will be furnished. Apply Daily Register office for particulars. 116

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES



'SHINERS SHOOT TWO OFFICERS IN PIKE

(By Associated Press.)

Pikeville, April 16—Internal Revenue Officer C. C. Smith, of Louisville, was shot and probably fatally wounded and a brother officer, A. J. Potter, of Pikeville, slightly wounded by moonshiners, as the officers rode through a defile in the mountains near here yesterday. The authorities today formed a posse and are surrounding the spot.

Mr. K. R. Scudder, of Nashville, Mr. S. W. Scudder, of Huntington, Ind., who were called to Richmond on account of the illness of their mother, Mrs. Julia Scudder, have returned to their homes after a few days stay with their sister, Mrs. S. P. Bush.

A poor cup of coffee often upsets the happiness of a whole day. On the other hand a steaming, fragrant, rich, aromatic cup of coffee starts things out just right. There's a lot of cheer in a cup of Rookwood coffee. D. B. McKinney & Co. 116-tf

FOR SALE—1 patrol wagon; 1 two horse wagon, with 2 extra seats; 1 hose reel; 2 sets harness; 1 horse. The wagons are in A1 condition; to be sold Saturday, April 19th at 2 p.m. City of Richmond, by J. A. Mereson and Robt. Golden, committee. 113 6

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice—All persons having claims against the estate of the late Martin Gentry, are hereby notified to present same, properly proven as required by law to the undersigned administrator on or before January 1, 1919. Mrs. Martin Gentry, Admx. 48 4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS,

All persons having claims against the estate of W. N. Burrus, deceased, will present same duly verified to the undersigned, on or before the 7th day of May, 1919, or same will be barred. G. N. BURRUS, Admr. Estate of W. N. Burrus. 4t

FOR SALE—1917—Model Ford Roadster—Good Condition—Domesticable rims. Luxon Garage. 116

Beware of the Girl with

Satan's Passport!!

VICTORY LOAN TERMS ANNOUNCED

Chairman Burnam Announces Committees That Will Assist Him in County's Quota

Everything possible is being gotten in readiness by Chairman Paul Burnam in preparation for the opening of the Victory Loan campaign which commences next Monday. Madison county has been allotted her usual large quota, due to the prosperity of this district, but as has been done in the past loan campaigns, the committee will each one take it upon themselves to be responsible for the amounts to which they will be allotted and 100 per cent will be their slogan.

A number of attractions have been booked to appear in Richmond during this whirlwind campaign, and the latest feature to be allotted to this city is the announcement that Capt. Joseph E. Torrence, U. S. A. will speak in the interest of the Victory Loan in this city on Monday, April 21. Captain Torrence saw more active service during the war than any one in this section. He went through the siege of Verdun, the Meuse, Chateau Thierry and the Argonne Forests and received many wounds. His left arm was shattered and paralyzed and he has been decorated with the Croix de Guerre, cited for gallantry, and recommended for the D. S. C.

Loan Terms Announced

In an official statement made by the Treasury Department, the loan terms for this drive will be as follows:

Quota for nation . . \$4,500,000,000
Quota for 4th dist. . . \$450,000,000
Quota for Madison Co. . . \$510,000
Maturity, maximum, Four Years
Interest rate, taxable, 4 3/4 per ct.
Tax free, 3 3/4 per ct.

No oversubscriptions will be taken. This will be positively the last Liberty Loan.

The committees that have been appointed by Chairman Burnam are as follows:

City—R. E. Turley, John W. Crooke, R. R. Burnam, R. M. Rowland.

Foxtown—Dr. John H. Rutledge, captain; Madison Burgin, James H. Million, Wm. Munday, Al. W. Williams, George Phleps, C. W. Cobb, E. L. Pigg, John Andrew Turpin, Irvine Hume, H. B. Hanger, Jr., James Tribble, W. L. Hayden, B. M. Igo, L. N. Neale, A. K. McCown.

Union City—Jas. Noland, captain; Joe Hamilton, J. O. Brooks, Enos Thomas, Fred Wells, John L. Eads, Sidney Noland, C. F. Chenaunt, Pleas Benton.

Ellis-Yates—Charles L. Searcy, captain; Armer Hisle, D. Z. Taylor, W. L. Blanton, H. B. Duncan, R. K. Moberly, Quinn Covington, Dillard Hill, G. W. Ginter, J. L. Griggs, Walter Brandenburg, N. G. Todd.

Glade—(Berea, city) John L. Gay, John F. Dean, captain; outside-Berea, Edgar Moore, captain W. F. Kidd, Marshall Vaughn, T. J. Osborne, Scott McGuire, Oscar Hays, B. S. Terrill, Joe Gilbert, C. B. Arnett, E. T. Fish, Fayette Vaughn, C. C. Coy, John Goedloe, Robert L. Potts, Joe Johnson, Robert Hendren.

Bearwallow and Kingston—T. D. Chenaunt, captain; James B. Parks, Alex. R. Gibbs, Charles H. Jett, W. J. Gooch, Speed McKeehan, Alex. W. Parrish.

Kirkville—Wm. A. Arbuckle, captain; T. S. Burnam, T. E. Baldwin, Jr., W. O. Burke, Wilson Brandenburg, Garnett Million, Clay Blakeman, Nay Coy, Jonah Cox, Milton C. Covington, Hugh Galey, Chas. Curtis.

Million and Poosey—John C. Hendren, captain; John Will Teater, William Jenkins, Charles L. Baldwin, Glenn Million, A. Burgin Howard, Harmon Kanatzar, S. S. Million, James H. Jones, W. D. Sanders, A. D. Burrus.

Peace Conference Situation Improves

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 16—A distinct improvement in the general peace conference situation is reported to the White House today from Paris. It is indicated that excellent progress has been made toward concluding the negotiations.

LLOYD-GEORGE ANSWERS CRITICS

Situation Still Full of Perils—Warns Against Intervention in Russia

London, April 16—Bulletin—Replying in the House of Commons to previous criticisms of his activities at the peace conference Premier Lloyd-George said the situation was still full of perils for the allied countries. He pleaded that those who were trying to do their best should be let alone.

Premier Lloyd-George asserted that no conference in history faced problems of such variety, complexity, magnitude and gravity. He deprecated the attempts that had been made to sow dissensions among the allies and he insisted that the United States and Europe had not been at variance.

He further asserted that Russia had not made any peace overtures and the question of recognizing Russia had never been discussed. He said it was his earnest conviction that military intervention in Russia would be the greatest act of stupidity and that while the Bolshevik force was apparently growing, the Bolshevik itself was gradually breaking down before the relentless force of economic facts.

Referring to the League of Nations, he said that the time spent on it was saved and not wasted, and would provide means of adjusting possible errors.

THE LATEST NEWS

The allied representatives in Paris have reached a complete understanding on the great fundamental questions that would affect peace with Germany, Premier Lloyd-George declared in addressing the House of Commons today. He said the allies had formulated their demands which he hoped would be presented by the end of next week.

"We want a stern peace," he said, "because the occasion demands it, but it must not be designed to gratify vengeance but to vindicate justice and, above all, we want to protect the future against a repetition of the horror of this war."

A 20 per cent dividend has been declared by the Farmers Tobacco Warehouse at Mt. Sterling. It also liquidated a debt and set aside a fund for improvements.

The ladies of the Kirkville Christian church will have a food sale on Saturday in the window of W. F. Higgins' store on West Main. Everything good for your Sunday dinner will be offered for sale. 116-3

Local stock dealers are beginning to ship hogs bought during the past winter to the city markets. They have been bought all the way from 16 to 18 cents a pound and should make the dealers a nice profit at present prices.

W. E. Parsons, of Karso, Mo., has been in Clark and Bourbon counties, buying stock jacks, for several days. Ten jacks were bought, including some of the best stock in the Blue Grass. They were bought at an average of about \$600.

What is said to have been a record price for Mercer county land was recorded late last week when Pleasant Houpp sold his land on the Burgin and Pleasant Hill pike out of Harrodsburg for over \$10,000. There are only 29 1-2 acres in the tract. Four acres with a residence and store were bought by Joe Worley for \$5,500 and an unimproved tract of 25 1-4 acres was bought by R. W. Gwinn at \$300 an acre.

The Italian government, which controls the sale of tobacco in that country, is putting on the market a new variety, which will be sold at a very low price. It is denicotized, containing only 10 per cent of that narcotic.

Thirty-three prominent farmers of Montgomery county have signed a petition requesting the sheriff to post a standing reward for the arrest and conviction of persons stealing livestock. Each farmer agrees to pay \$10 to make good the reward offered. A lot of stock has been stolen in that section within the past few weeks.

BIG EASTER SALE.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Richmond Millinery Co., an attractive discount on all trimmed and plain hats. 116-4